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SUBJECT: LEAHY VETTING FOR THIRTY THIRD PACIFIC ARMIES MANAGEMENT SEMINAR (PAMS XXXIII) Aug 24-28, 2009.

¶1. This is an action request. See para three.

¶2. The following delegates have been selected for participation in the PAMS XXXIII Conference to be held in Tokyo, Japan; which will begin on or about August 24 to 28 2009. Post vetting was completed on 4 June 2009. Post requests that vetting be completed by July 30 2009 to provide sufficient time for processing. Post requests the department conduct Leahy vetting for the following candidates:

¶1. Name: Md Matiur Rahman  
Rank: Major General  
Unit: GOC, 55th Infantry Division  
Unit Location: Jessore, Bangladesh  
Personal Number: BA-1651  
Date of Birth: 31 Dec 1957  
Place of Birth: Mymensingh, Bangladesh

¶2. Name: Zulfiqur Ali Hydar  
Rank: Lieutenant Colonel  
Unit: ADMQ, M&Q Dte  
Unit Location: Dhaka, Bangladesh  
Personal Number: BA-2209  
Date of Birth: 01 June 1960  
Place of Birth: Dhaka, Bangladesh

¶3. Post requests that the Department of State authorize post to make the following statement to the relevant DOD units: "Embassy verifies that the Department of State possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by the above named individual or unit."

¶4. Post Human Rights Officer is David Arulanantham, unclass e-mail:[arulananthamdp@state.gov](mailto:arulananthamdp@state.gov).

¶5. COMMENT: Embassy has no information to indicate these individuals or any units they have served in have been involved in gross violations of human rights.

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